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New Piasa Chautauqua



"THE PIASA BIRD"

PROGRAM BEGINS SATURDAY, JUNE 23rd
CLOSES SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 2nd



The Chautauqua Grounds are owned and operated by the New Piasa Chautauqua Association, and every person entering or remaining on same must have a ticket purchased from the Association. The Association reserves the right, at all times, to revoke the privileges granted to ticket holders and to limit the sale of tickets.

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The 66th season of New Piasa Chautauqua will open Saturday, June 23rd, offering a wholesome and delightful vacation program for the enjoyment of the many annual residents and visitors who know the natural beauty and culture of Chautauqua valley.

Officers - 1951

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*The Origin of the Piasa Bluffs Assembly, Now Called the
New Piasa Chautauqua Association, on the Mississippi,
in Jersey County, Illinois*

by F. M. Van Treese

This article was written from a speech delivered by the Rev. F. M. Van Treese at an early meeting of the L.C.I.A. at Chautauqua. Rev. Van Treese was the last survivor of the committee who selected the ground and organized the Piasa Bluffs Assembly.

Sometime during the summer of 1885 two Committees were appointed, one from the Southern Illinois Sunday School Conference and the other from the St. Louis Ministerial Association of the Methodist Episcopal Church, with instructions and authorization to find a suitable and convenient location and to organize and secure a charter for a Western Chautauqua Assembly to be modeled after the plan of the Mother Chautauqua at Chautauqua Lake in New York.

These Committees were composed of prominent ministers and laymen of the St. Louis and Southern Illinois Conferences of the Methodist Church: from St. Louis, the Rev. Benj. St. James Fry, D.D., Editor of the Central Christian Advocate, J. A. Field and Fletcher M. Doan. From the Illinois Conference, J. W. Phillips, Presiding Elder of the Alton District, R. H. Manier of Edwardsville, J. A. Scarrett of Alton, and F. M. Van Treese of Jerseyville, George W. Brown of Vandalia, Theo. Harrison of Belleville and Morris R. Locke of Jerseyville.

About the first of July, 1885, these two Committees met at Alton to discuss the situation, and with them were Mrs. J. A. Scarrett and her sister, Mrs. J. W. Caldwell. They chartered the steamer "Alton" and proceeded up the Mississippi River, landing eventually at the upper bluff of the present Chautauqua Grounds. They proceeded up the Valley in search of the Piasa Spring that they had heard about. In passing they saw a rude log cabin and a field of corn on the site where later the Inn was built.

The already famous Piasa Spring was the center of attraction for the committee. If it had not been for that great spring, with its enormous flow of sparkling, fresh water, the grounds would never have been selected. The spring was found by the committee to be in its natural condition, just as the Red Man had left it a hundred years before. No doubt that in an earlier day, the Indians had camped in the Valley and obtained their water from the Piasa Spring. Many Indian arrows, spear heads and other relics have been found in the valley.

After landing, and locating the spring, the committee proceeded up the ravine through a tangled mass of vines and thick underbrush to explore the grounds. There was evidence that a house had once stood where the Store is now located and a rude stable where the Auditorium is now stand-

ing. Both of these buildings had disappeared; the main part of the grounds where the cottages now stand was an old abandoned corn field, but now grown up with briars and small bushes, forming a veritable nest for wasps, yellow jackets, hornets and rattlesnakes.

While the men were making the survey of the grounds, at the noon hour, the ladies of the party spread a cloth in front of the Piasa Spring and a lunch was served. After the lunch, a hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" was sung, prayer was offered and some speeches made. It was agreed that the grounds would be adapted for the Western Chautauqua.

The next thing to do was to purchase and to secure control of the grounds, which was part of a tract of 410 acres belonging to a Mrs. McCairn; this tract gave control of the valley between the Bluffs on the River front. It was more land than was needed for the purpose but the lady refused to sell a part of the acreage, and after some dickering the land in its entirity was purchased the next year.

It was decided to hold a camp meeting in order to advertise the enterprise and the Grounds Committee, and others, such as Tents, Program and Publicity were appointed. The Camp Meeting was held in what was then called "Babbs Hollow", near the Spring, and was largely attended by persons from St. Louis and nearby Illinois towns; many of them lived for the duration of the meeting in tents.

Rev. L. E. Cole, pastor of the Methodist Church of Elsah, Illinois, was Chairman of the preparations for the meeting, and he set aside a day for the people of Jersey County to meet and prepare the grounds for the meeting. The noon hour was set aside for the religious service, and the writer was invited to preach on the occasion. For this first sermon on the Chautauqua Grounds, he took as his text, Exodus 14:15, "Speak unto the People, That They Go Forward."

The first public announcement of the Assembly was made by Morris R. Locke of Jerseyville, Chairman of the Publicity Committee. It was in a circular issued on July 13, 1885, and it announced the first Camp Meeting in the Valley to begin, Tuesday, August 25, 1885, and to last one week. In that circular he described the Piasa Bluffs Assembly Grounds as follows: "They are on the banks of the Mississippi River in Jersey County, 37 miles above St. Louis, 12 miles above Alton, 12 miles from Jerseyville, 57 miles from Jacksonville and 84 miles from Springfield. The object of the Assembly is to maintain a summer resort for literary, scientific and religious instruction and culture similar to the Great Chautauqua Lake Assembly in New York State. It rivals the locality of any similar Association in the country. The scenery is grand, the Bluffs overlook the valleys of three rivers, the mighty Mississippi, the Missouri and the Illinois. The Assembly grounds are immediately on the Bluffs of the Mississippi, where the Missouri and the Illinois Rivers can be plainly seen in the distance coursing their way through the rich and fertile valleys of Missouri and Illinois".



THE PICTURE ROCKS

To add to the charm of this location was the significant name given in the early days to the chain of magnificent stone bluffs from Alton to Grafton, "The Piasa Bluffs", taken from the Indian legends and traditions of the Piasa Bird. This dragon was pictured on the rocks of the bluffs and was reported as having been visible as late as 1849. It was described as a composite monster with the face of a man, horns of a deer, the wings of a bird, the claws of a lion, and the tail of a serpent. The tradition was that this dragon was the enemy of the Indians and destroyed many of the Illini Indians until it was destroyed by a young Chief of the tribe.

The Piasa Bluffs Assembly was incorporated in July, 1885 under the laws of Illinois. The Incorporators were B. S. J. Fry, J. A. Field, Fletcher M. Doan, R. H. Manier, George W. Brown, Theo. Harrison and M. R. Locke.

The writer was elected Corresponding Secretary of the Corporation and visited numerous churches and schoolhouses to secure the money to purchase the land. At the close of the second camp meeting, J. A. Scarrett was elected Superintendent of the Grounds. During his management, the grounds were platted, trees planted, streets and avenues laid out, and the Auditorium and many cottages built. It was very successful from the start.

In 1909 the New Piasa Chautauqua Association was formed to take over the grounds and property of the Piasa Bluffs Assembly.



MEMORIAL CHAPEL

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Chautauqua Resident Minister

Mr. Robert Vancil will spend his second summer with us as Director of Religious Activities. Bob was graduated from Shurtleff College in 1950, and has just completed his first year at Andover Newton Theological School.

This year Bob has served as the assistant to the minister and Director of Youth Activities at the First Congregational Church of Natic. He will also assist the Athletic Committee in directing youth work.





HISTORIC SPRINGS HOTEL

The Springs Hotel

Mrs. Marion Alford of St. Louis will be the active manager and hostess to the many Chautauqua guests of the newly decorated Springs Hotel this coming season.

A cheery, homelike welcome will be waiting for the annual vacationists making the Springs Hotel their headquarters for the summer season.

Reservations can be made by telephoning Chautauqua, Illinois, and asking for the Springs Hotel. The rates are very reasonable.

Ladies Civic Improvement Association

Chautauqua ladies find membership in this active club one of the real pleasures of each summer season. The L.C.I.A. is responsible for the management of the Springs Hotel, sponsorship of the Saturday night dances and Tuesday evening card parties to which all vacationists are invited.

This Association also supervises the Children's Day each year with its costumed parade and gifts for all children under 13 years of age.

Ladies Civic Improvement Association

Mrs. C. J. Jacoby, President
1605 Henry St.,
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Supervised Youth Activities

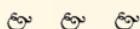


Marybelle Vancil, wife of the Resident Minister, will again direct the Children's Play School. The Play School will hold its regular morning classes Monday thru Friday during the summer season.

During these sessions, recreational hours of play as well as instructional work will be conducted on lines of modern welfare and progressive educational study.

All children of Chautauqua are invited to attend these classes without expense and take part in the summer activities five days of each week during the program season.

This year, Marybelle will train and conduct the choirs.



The Administration Office

Mr. Edward Reiman will be on a leave of absence due to ill health. Mr. J. W. Newland will have charge of the office and grounds. The daily and weekly events will be posted on the bulletin board outside the administration office and no announcements will be made on show nights.

Cottage owners are requested to register rentals and the usual registration of annual tickets must be made during the first week of each season.

Music

Miss Jean Wessel will be the accompanist for the 1951 season.



The Junior Choir, so capably trained and so well received last year, will take part in this year's program under Marybelle Vancil's leadership.



Devotional Services

Including Bible study, special music, and songs will be held at the Chapel every Thursday evening during the season under the leadership of Robert Vancil. Everyone is invited to attend.

Chautauqua Sunday School

Mr. Cap Jacoby, and Mrs. Arthur Maier will supervise the Sunday School sessions at the Auditorium each Sunday morning at 9:45 a.m.

Capable teachers and leaders will have charge of the various groups during study period and accredited attendance cards will be given to all who attend.

Special music and children participation will make your attendance most pleasant as well as instructive during the season.

Newsstand and Souvenir Shop

Mrs. F. A. Behymer, of Lebanon, Illinois, will greet her host of friends at the Postcard and Souvenir Shop during the season.

Magazines and daily newspapers are available and this most popular meeting place on the Board walk will give all Chautauqua visitors an opportunity to greet Mrs. Behymer, who is one of the pioneers of the resort and can relate the earliest history in a most delightful and interesting manner.

Food Shop

The Harold Brainerd family are on hand to serve all Chautauquans again this year. A complete stock of groceries, fresh meats and vegetables in season are available and served in the same courteous manner as always.

Kentucky Home

Mr. and Mrs. A. Burnett greet the many Chautauqua vacation visitors and friends with the best of home cooked meals during the season. Delightful rooms and a real home-like atmosphere await all visitors.

Refreshments

The favorite and ever popular meeting places for your choice of sundaes, soft drinks, candy, pop corn and sundries, will be prepared to serve Chautauqua's many visitors at the Station and Midway Stands. Bill Green and Clyde Chong will be in charge.

A lending library, smokes and sundries will be offered at the Midway during the entire season.

Chautauqua Men's Club

President	Harold Colbert
Vice-President	Richard Cousley
Secretary-Treasurer	Favre Gould

DIRECTORS

Cliff Rain	Dr. Wayne Cox
	Joe A. Meisel, Jr.

The Chautauqua Men's Club membership includes all men interested in the activities of each summer season. The providing of additional playground equipment, sponsoring special events during the summer and taking an active interest in the welfare of Chautauqua children gives the Club an important place in each year's program.

Cafeteria

The Men's Board will supervise the operation of the Chautauqua cafeteria; Mrs. Walter Wilson will be in charge of the menu and service. Breakfast, lunch and dinner will be served, also sandwiches will be available in the evening after the show.

Gift Shop

Mrs. Elva King will manage a gift shop in the Springs Hotel.



PIASA SPRING

This lovely spring in its rustic setting was one of the deciding factors in the selection of the grounds by the original committee. Evidence was found to support the fact that the spring had been used by the Indians. Life in the valley has been traced to about 1850. The flow of the spring, about 85,000 gallons per day, has not diminished to this day. Tests of the water are made frequently. The Chautauqua Association, in an effort to maintain the highest sanitary condition of the spring, has tapped the source of the spring at a point 150 feet within the bluff. It is then pumped to the reservoir on the hilltop.



Chautauqua Yacht Club

The vast expanse of Alton Lake offers Chautauqua motor boat owners and sailing enthusiasts all the inspiration necessary for a most wonderful vacation during the entire season.

The landing docks and river activities are under the supervision of the Chautauqua Yacht Club, who plan to hold the annual regatta the latter part of August, and visiting boat owners will be notified of particulars later.

YACHT CLUB OFFICERS

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TELEPHONE -- Long distance lines to Alton, Illinois, exchange, with all calls answered promptly.

U.S. MAIL -- Branch post office with outgoing and incoming mail deliveries twice daily.

PROPER ADDRESS -- Chautauqua, Illinois.

AUTO ROUTES -- From St. Louis, take any city street or routes to Superhighway No. 99, crossing the rivers over the Lewis and Clark bridges. Follow U.S. 67 thru Alton and turn left on Illinois 100 at sign marked to Chautauqua. Distance from St. Louis, 42 miles.

From East St. Louis and other East Side cities -- follow U.S. 67 to and thru Alton, Illinois, for about 12 miles, turning left on Illinois Route No. 100 at sign marked Chautauqua.

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Harry Rogers

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Athletics

Athletic events that Chautauquans of all ages can take part in, is the aim of the Athletic Committee for 1951. Each Wednesday morning there will be a baseball game at the River Front Athletic Field, in which all are invited to participate.

Other tournaments of athletic events will be held on weekends during the summer.

Supervised athletics for boys and girls will again feature the summer program. Robert Vancil, the Resident Minister, will direct the program for boys. The athletic program for girls will be sponsored by the Girls Club of Chautauqua, with Pat Mitchell directing the activities.

The Chautauqua Men's Club is sponsoring a program to secure baseball caps and uniforms for the girl and boy baseball players.

Shuffleboard, baseball, badminton, tennis, table tennis, swimming, horseshoe pitching and other events will be on the program.

Photo Contest

All Chautauquans are invited to enter the summer photo contest. Pictures taken on the grounds are to be posted on the Administration Building.

The judges Dick Cousley, F. A. Behymer and Charles Feldwisch will judge the pictures for skill, humor and interest. Prizes to be awarded to the winners Saturday, September 1st.

Swimming Pool and River Pavilion

~ A new feature for the summer is that the Swimming Pool and River Front Pavilion will be available to individuals, or organizations, for private parties at a nominal rental fee. Complete details will be furnished upon application at the Administration Building.

PROGRAM

Saturday, June 23—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"I'll Get By"—June Haver.

Sunday, June 24—

9:45 A.M.—Sunday School at Auditorium.

11:00 A.M.—Sermon—Rev. Paul Frankenfeld, Assistant Pastor, Zion Evangelical and Reformed Church, Indianapolis, Indiana. Topic: "Meeting Life's Inevitables."

Monday, June 25—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—4 short reels—Cartoon.

Tuesday, June 26—

8:00 P.M.—Opening reception and Card Party of L.C.I.A. at Springs Hotel.

Wednesday, June 27—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"The Jackpot"—James Stewart.

Thursday, June 28—

7:30 P.M.—Devotionals at Chapel.

Friday, June 29—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Adventure In Baltimore"—Shirley Temple.

Saturday, June 30—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"The Broken Arrow"—James Stewart.

9:30 P.M.—Dancing - Springs Hotel.

Sunday, July 1—

9:45 A.M.—Sunday School at Auditorium.

11:00 A.M.—Sermon—Dr. Frank Eversull, Department of Education, Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri. Topic: "The Rabbi Taught Jesus."

Monday, July 2—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Riders of the Range"—Tim and Jack Holt.

Tuesday, July 3—

8:00 P.M.—L.C.I.A. Benefit Card Party. (Men Invited).

PROGRAM - - - Continued

Wednesday, July 4—

Men's Club Day—A grand and glorious Fourth of July celebrated in the old fashioned tradition under the leadership of the members of the Chautauqua Men's Club. A full day's program with athletic events for men and women, boys and girls. An open-air barbecue in Flint Park with Harold Colbert in charge. Something going on every minute—ending with a stupendous display of fire-works at the river front.

Thursday, July 5—

7:30 P.M.—Devotional at Chapel.

Friday, July 6th—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Never a Dull Moment"—Irene Dunn and Fred MacMurray.

Saturday, July 7—

1:30 P.M.—Girls' Club Bazaar, Springs Hotel.

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Tripoli" — John Payne, Maureen O'Hara.

9:30 P.M.—Dancing - Springs Hotel.

Sunday, July 8—

9:45 A.M.—Sunday School at Auditorium.

11:00 A.M.—Sermon—Rev. Harold Reader, D.D., St. Louis, Mo.
Topic: "The Christian Emphasis Today."

Monday, July 9—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—4 Shorts.

Tuesday, July 10—

8:00 P.M.—L.C.I.A. Card Party at Springs Hotel.

Wednesday, July 11—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Wagonmaster" — Harry Carey, Jr., Joanne Drew.

Thursday, July 12—

7:30 P.M.—Devotionals at Chapel.

8:30 P.M.—Square Dance at Pavilion.

Friday, July 13—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Cinderella"—Feature length Cartoon.

8:00 P.M.—Men's Club Jinks Party - Springs Hotel.

PROGRAM - - - Continued

Saturday, July 14—

9:30 A.M.—Shuffleboard Tournament thru Sunday, July 15th—
G. Torrance Flint and Gordon Grundmann.
10:00 A.M.—White Elephant Sale at Auditorium.
8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"She Wore a Yellow
Ribbon"—John Wayne.

Sunday, July 15—

9:45 A.M.—Sunday School at Auditorium.
11:00 A.M.—Sermon—Rev. Dale Harmon, First Methodist Church,
Alton, Illinois.
7:30 P.M.—Songs at Auditorium.

Monday, July 16—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—4 Shorts.

Tuesday, July 17—

8:00 P.M.—L.C.I.A. Card Party at Springs Hotel.

Wednesday, July 18—

9:30 A.M.—Baseball - Fathers and Sons.
8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Our Very Own"—
Ann Blyth.

Thursday, July 19—

7:30 P.M.—Devotions at Chapel.
8:30 P.M.—Square Dance at River Pavilion.

Friday, July 20—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Two Flags West"
—Joseph Cotten and Linda Darnell.

Saturday, July 21—

Yacht Club and Sailing Club—Bar-B-Q and Dancing at River-
front beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, July 22 —

9:45 A.M.—Sunday School at Auditorium.
11:00 A.M.—Sermon—Robert Vancil, Andover Newton Theologi-
cal School, Newton Center, Massachusetts. Chau-
tauqua Resident Minister.

Monday, July 23—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—4 Shorts.

PROGRAM - - - Continued

Tuesday, July 24—

8:00 P.M.—L.C.I.A. Card Party at Springs Hotel.

Wednesday, July 25—

9:30 A.M.—Baseball - Fathers and Sons.

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Bride for Sale" — Robert Young and Claudette Colbert.

Thursday, July 26—

7:30 P.M.—Devotions at Chapel.

8:30 P.M.—Square Dance at River Pavilion.

Friday, July 27—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"For Heavens Sake" —Clifton Webb.

Saturday, July 28—

2:30 P.M.—Swimming Carnival—K. Schulenberg and Ken Trabue.

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"The Black Rose" —Orson Welles and Tyrone Power.

Sunday, July 29—

9:45 A.M.—Sunday School at Auditorium.

11:00 A.M.—Sermon—Rev. G. Christie Swain, D.D., Tyler Place Presbyterian Church, St. Louis, Missouri. Topic: "When Are We Free."

Monday, July 30—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Mad Wednesday"— Harold Lloyd.

Tuesday, July 31—

8:00 P.M.—L.C.I.A. Card Party at Springs Hotel.

Wednesday, August 1—

9:30 A.M.—Baseball - Mothers and Daughters.

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Copper Canyon" —Ray Milland and Heddy Lamarr.

Thursday, August 2—

7:30 P.M.—Devotionals at Chapel.

8:30 P.M.—Square Dance at Pavilion.

PROGRAM - - - Continued

Friday, August 3—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Fancy Pants"—Bob Hope.
8:00 P.M.—Mens' Club Social - Springs Hotel.

Saturday, August 4—

1:30 P.M.—Chautauqua Girls Club on Parade—Pat Mitchell.
8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Ticket To Tomahawk"—Dan Dailey.
9:30 P.M.—Dancing - Springs Hotel.

Sunday, August 5—

9:45 A.M.—Sunday School at Auditorium.
11:00 A.M.—Sermon—Rev. O. Walter Wagner, Executive Secretary, Metropolitan Church Federation, St. Louis, Mo.

Monday, August 6—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"At War With the Army"—Jerry Lewis and Dean Martin.

Tuesday, August 7—

8:00 P.M.—L.C.I.A. Card Party at Springs Hotel.

Wednesday, August 8—

9:30 A.M.—Baseball - Boys and Girls.
8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Mr. Music"—Bing Crosby.

Thursday, August 9—

7:30 P.M.—Devotionals at Chapel.
8:30 P.M.—Square Dance at Pavilion.

Friday, August 10—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"All About Eve"—Academy Award Picture with Bette Davis.

Saturday, August 11—

9:30 A.M.—Badminton—Bob Ripley and Joe Yerkes, Jr.
8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Call Me Mister"—Dan Dailey and Betty Grable.

Sunday, August 12—

9:45 A.M.—Sunday School at Auditorium.
11:00 A.M.—Sermon—Harold Reader, D.D., St. Louis, Missouri.
Topic: "The Evaluation of Belief."

Monday, August 13—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—Shorts.
8:30 P.M.—Girls Club Card Party - Springs Hotel.

PROGRAM - - - Continued

Tuesday, August 14—

8:00 P.M.—L.C.I.A. Card Party - Springs Hotel.

Wednesday, August 15—

9:30 A.M.—Baseball - Fathers and Sons.

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies — "Let's Dance" — Fred Astaire and Betty Hutton.

Thursday, August 16—

7:30 P.M.—Devotions at Chapel.

8:30 P.M.—Square Dance at Pavilion.

Friday, August 17—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Treasure Island" — Bobby Driscoll.

Saturday, August 18—Annual Children's Day—

2:30 P.M.—Special Music and Costume Parade. (Comic Book Characters.)

7:30 P.M.—Special Children's Program.

9:30 P.M.—Dancing - Springs Hotel.

Sunday, August 19—

9:45 A.M.—Sunday School at Auditorium.

11:00 A.M.—Sermon—Robert Vancil, Resident Minister.

1:30 P.M.—Yacht Club Day. Boat Races and Exhibitions.

Monday, August 20—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies — "The Sword of Monte Christo".

Tuesday, August 21—

8:00 P.M.—L.C.I.A. Card Party at Springs Hotel.

Wednesday, August 22—

9:30 A.M.—Baseball - Fathers.

8:00 P.M. Community sing and Movies — "My Blue Heaven" — Betty Grable.

Thursday, August 23—

7:30 P.M.—Devotionals at Chapel.

8:30 P.M.—Square Dance at Pavilion.

Friday, August 24—

8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Mr. 880"—Edmund Gwenn and Burt Lancaster.

PROGRAM - - - Continued

Saturday, August 25—

- 9:00 A.M.—Finals Roque Tournament.
- 3:30 P.M.—Annual Stockholders Meeting - Chapel.
- 8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Bird of Paradise"—Jeff Chandler.

Sunday, August 26—

- 9:45 A.M.—Sunday School at Auditorium.
- 11:00 A.M.—Sermon—Rev. B. L. Schubel, St. Louis District Superintendent, The Methodist Church, St. Louis, Mo. Topic: "The Positive Approach."
- 6:00 P.M.—Men's Club Banquet.

Monday, August 27—

- 8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"My Friend Irma Goes West"—Marie Wilson and Martin and Lewis.

Tuesday, August 28—

- 8:00 P.M.—L.C.I.A. Card Party at Springs Hotel.

Wednesday, August 29 —

- 9:30 A.M.—Baseball - Fathers and Sons.
- 8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"I'd Climb the Highest Mountain"—William Lundigan and Susan Hayward.

Thursday, August 30—

- 7:30 P.M.—Devotionals at Chapel.
- 8:30 P.M.—Square Dance at River Pavilion.

Friday, August 31—

- 8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"The Mudlark" — Irene Dunn.

Saturday, September 1—

- 8:00 P.M.—Community sing and Movies—"Holiday Affair" — Janet Leigh and Robert Mitchum.
- 9:30 P.M.—Dancing - Springs Hotel.

Sunday, September 2—

- 9:45 A.M.—Sunday School at Auditorium.
- 11:00 A.M.—Sermon—Rev. David Andrew Weaver, President of Shurtleff College, Alton, Illinois. Topic: "The Excuses We Make."

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